

COME AND

WORSHIP



Christ Community Church

NOVEMBER 25, 2018

WORSHIP | 10:30AM

WELCOME

We are glad you chose to worship with us today. No matter what your previous experience with church may be, it is our hope that today's service will be a fresh encounter with God's love and power for your life. This folder will guide you as we worship together. Welcome to Christ Community Church.

OUR PURPOSE

Christ Community Church exists to join Christ in his renewal of all things by experiencing and extending his love throughout Gainesville. We are a congregation of the Presbyterian Church in America (PCA).

CORE VALUES

GOSPEL OF THE KINGDOM:

Grounding all we do in the three foundational realities of the Gospel: a new world, a new record, a new heart.

WORSHIP:

Rehearsing the gospel of Jesus Christ through song, word, joyful giving, and sacrament.

GROWING IN GRACE:

Growing in faith, repentance, wisdom, and obedience as a community.

LIFE TOGETHER:

Serving and walking with each other in life's joys and sorrows through hospitality and intentional community.

MISSIONAL LIVING:

Pursuing faithful lives of mission where we live, work, and play.

SERVING GAINESVILLE:

Seeking the spiritual, social, and cultural welfare of greater Gainesville.

MULTIPLICATION:

Planting churches, fostering global missions, equipping the emerging generation, and commissioning those in transition.

CHILDREN

We offer a range of Christ-centered programming for children throughout the morning. Most Sundays, Sunday School (9:00-10:15AM) is provided for children ages 3 years to 5th grade. At 10:50AM, children ages kindergarten to 3rd grade will be dismissed from the service to their classrooms. Care for toddlers through 4 years is available all morning, and the nursery is always open to babies and nursing mothers. Visit the Welcome Station for more info and to register your children.

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 25, 2018

(All music by permission CCLI #2054302)

**Please silence your cell phones at this time.*

Call to Worship—Isaiah 2:2-5

Leader: “Come, let us go up to the mountain of the LORD, to the house of the God of Jacob, that he may teach us his ways and that we may walk in his paths.”

UNISON: For out of Zion shall go forth the law, and the word of the LORD from Jerusalem. He shall judge between the nations, and shall decide disputes for many peoples; and they shall beat their swords into plowshares, and their spears into pruning hooks; nation shall not lift up sword against nation, neither shall they learn war anymore.

Leader: O house of Jacob, come, let us walk in the light of the LORD.

Prayer of Invocation

We Will Say In That Day

Words & Music: Wendell Kimbrough, 2016.

You will see there a highway from God’s own hand
That will lead back the lost to the Promised Land.
And the voice of the Savior will call us friends,
Saying, “Join in the song of the Lord!”

We will call back our armies: “Return from war!”
And we’ll make into plowshares our useless swords.
Very soon to forget what they once were for,
When we join in the song of the Lord!

Refrain

*We will say in that day, “To the Lord, give thanks!”
We will not be afraid, for He comes to save.
We will shout; we will call: “Every tribe and race:
Come and join in the song of the Lord!”*

You will see there a banquet for sinners spread
Where we’ll sit with the Lord at the table’s head.
And our Shepherd himself is our wine and bread,
And we’ll join in the song of the Lord!

When the remnant return to the promised land
When the highway of God brings us home to Him.
We’ll be welcomed with love by our Savior friend,
And we’ll join in the song of the Lord!

Refrain

O Worship the King

Words: Robert Grant, 1833. Music: Johann Haydn. 1815.

O worship the King all glorious above,
O gratefully sing his power and his love;
Our Shield and Defender, the Ancient of Days,
Pavilioned in splendor, and girded with praise.

O tell of his might, O sing of his grace,
Whose robe is the light, whose canopy space.
Whose chariots of wrath the deep thunderclouds form,
And dark is his path on the wings of the storm.

Thy bountiful care what tongue can recite?
It breathes in the air; it shines in the light;
It streams from the hills; it descends to the plain;
And sweetly distils in the dew and the rain.

Frail children of dust, and feeble as frail,
In thee do we trust, nor find thee to fail;
Thy mercies how tender, how firm to the end,
Our maker, defender, redeemer, and friend!

Confession

UNISON: Lord Jesus, we confess that we have often loved earthly treasures more than you and your kingdom. Treasures such as possessions, family, careers, talents, and approval. We demonstrate that these are our treasures by finding deep satisfaction in them, or by jealousy of those who have what we do not. Turn our hearts from earthly treasure, so that we may rightly treasure you above all else.

Comfort - Isaiah 55:1-3

¹“Come, everyone who thirsts, come to the waters; and he who has no money, come, buy and eat! Come, buy wine and milk without money and without price. ²Why do you spend your money for that which is not bread, and your labor for that which does not satisfy? Listen diligently to me, and eat what is good, and delight yourselves in rich food. ³Incline your ear, and come to me; hear, that your soul may live; and I will make with you an everlasting covenant, my steadfast, sure love for David.

Death Was Arrested

Words & Music: Brandon Coker, Adam Kersh, Paul Taylor Smith, Heath Balltzglier, 2017.

Alone in my sorrow and dead in my sin,
Lost without hope with no place to begin.
Your love made a way to let mercy come in
When death was arrested and my life began.

Ash was redeemed only beauty remains;
My orphan heart was given a name.
My mourning grew quiet my feet rose to dance
When death was arrested and my life began.

*Oh your grace, so free, washes over me;
You have made me new, now my life begins with you.*

Released from my chains I'm a prisoner no more;
My shame was a ransom he faithfully bore.
He cancelled my debt, and he called me his friend
When death was arrested and my life began.

Refrain

*Oh your grace, so free, washes over me;
You have made me new, now life begins with you.
It's your endless love pouring down on us;
You have made me new, now life begins with you.*

Our Savior displayed on a criminal's cross;
Darkness rejoiced as though Heaven had lost.
But then Jesus arose with our freedom in hand;
That's when death was arrested and my life began.
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Refrain

Across the Lands

Words & Music: Keith Getty and Stuart Townend, 2007.

You're the Word of God the Father.
From before the world began,
Every star and every planet
Has been fashioned by your hand.
All creation holds together
By the power of your voice.
Let the skies declare your glory;
Let the land and seas rejoice.

Refrain

*You're the author of creation;
You're the Lord of every man,
And Your cry of love rings out
Across the lands.*

Yet you left the gaze of angels,
Came to seek and save the lost,
And exchanged the joy of heaven
For the anguish of a cross.
With a prayer you fed the hungry,
With a word you stilled the sea,
Yet how silently you suffered
That the guilty may go free.

Refrain

With a shout you rose victorious,
Wresting victory from the grave,
And ascended into heaven
Leading captives in your wake.
Now you stand before the Father,
Interceding for your own;
From each tribe and tongue and nation
You are leading sinners home.

Refrain 2x

Greeting One Another

Please take a couple minutes to stand and greet those around you. Children ages 5 years through 3rd Grade are dismissed to Children's Church at this time. Please encourage children to walk calmly to class.

Tithes & Offerings

The offering is a time to not only give of your possessions but also to give yourself to God. Use this time to reflect, meditate and respond to what God is doing in your life.

All Must Be Well

Words: Mary Bowley Peters, Matthew S. Smith. Music: Matthew S. Smith

Through the love of God our Savior, all will be well.
Free and changeless is His favor; all is well .
Precious is the blood that healed us;
Perfect is the grace that sealed us.
Strong the hand stretched forth to shield us;
All must be well.

Though we pass through tribulation, all will be well.
Ours is such a full salvation; all is well.
Happy still in God confiding;
Fruitful if in Christ abiding.
Steadfast through the Spirit's guiding;
All must be well.

We expect a bright tomorrow; all will be well.
Faith can sing through days of sorrow; all is well.
On our Father's love relying,
Jesus every need supplying;
Yes in living or in dying
All must be well.

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Benediction

Dismissed with God's Blessing

COMMUNITY IN ACTION

TODAY...

- **No Youth Group Tonight!**

Regular Sunday night Youth will not meet through the end of the year.

UPCOMING EVENTS...

- **Education Hour Resumes after Thanksgiving Break**

Classes will resume on Sunday December 2nd.

- **Deck the Halls - Saturday, December 1st, 10am-noon, at CCC.**

Join us for a fun time of serving our site as a church family while getting ready for the advent season. There will be projects site-wide for all ages, including campus cleanup, decorating for Christmas, and assisting our deacons with special projects. Come join the fun! To RSVP, email info@christcommunitychurch.com.

- **Advent Schedule**

- ✓December 7th - Parent's Night Out

- ✓December 14th and 15th - CCC Family Christmas Camp Out

- ✓December 16th - "A Night Before Christmas"

Women's Christmas Event for our church and for our neighbors.

- ✓December 24th - Christmas Eve Service at 6:30 pm

- **Coming This Spring**

- ✓January 11th-13th - Conference featuring Tim Lane on Marriage/Relationships.

- ✓Spring Break 2019 - Haiti Medical Missions Trip, March 30th through April 6th.

For Your Reference

Worship Leaders:

- Tim Hayse (Pastor)
- Chris Hiatt (Worship Leader)
- Jason Peters (Youth Ministry Director)
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WELCOME TO CHRIST COMMUNITY

Please drop this card in the offering basket as it comes by you. We would love to help you get connected at Christ Community!

Tell us about yourself!

Check the box that applies to you

- Local Guest
- Member/Regular Attendee
- Out of Town Guest

How can you get connected?

I would like more information about...

- Children's Ministries
- Community Groups
- Joining the Church
- Church Events
- Youth
- College
- Men's/Women's Ministry
- Local Missions/Service
- Music and Tech

Please provide us with your information so we may contact you with further details.

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

- I want to receive weekly emails.

